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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
KATRIN KLASS, ET AL. : EXAMINER: MANOHARIN, VIRGINIA
SERIAL NO: 10/560,135 :
FILED: DECEMBER 9, 2005 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1797
FOR: METHOD FOR THE :
DISTILLATIVE SEPARATION OF A
MIXTURE CONTAINING VINYL ETHER
AND ALCOHOL

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated April 8, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Support for the Amendments begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.